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Opinion: In describing weather, remember the caveats

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Colorado drilling regulators to enforce fluids disclosures

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High court will review EPA global warming rules

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Voters in four Colorado cities may call timeout on fracking

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Municipal fracking bans in Colorado should be voted down

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Letter: We don't have the science on fracking, but the gas will still be there when we do

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Letter: Lawsuits an acceptable risk if we glean health information from fracking moratorium

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County official: Superfund designation needed to address Clark Fork contamination

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Tester gets kudos for eliminating 'Monsanto Protection Act'

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Utah's Carbon Power Plant heads for early retirement

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Pipelines aren't the only way to ship oil - rail's on the rise

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Hunters happy with shutdown's end as Bear River refuge reopens

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